Currently Pending Claims:

The currently pending claims are reiterated for the convenience of the Examiner.

Claims 1-12 (canceled)

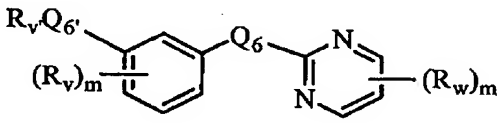
13. (Previously presented) A compound of formula II:

L - X - L II

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof; wherein:

one L is selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a moiety of formula XI:



XI

wherein

each R_v is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

$R_{v'}$ is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

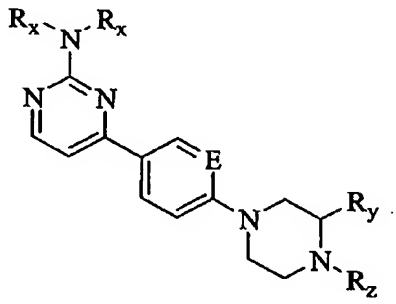
each R_w is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

Q_6 is $NR_{w'}$, O, S or alkylene, where $R_{w'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

Q_6 is $NR_{v''}$, O, S or alkylene, where $R_{v''}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

each *m* is independently an integer from 1 to 3;

(b) a moiety of formula XII:



XII

wherein

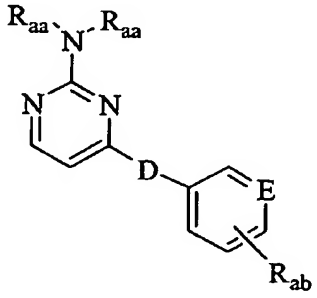
each R_x is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl and heterocyclic;

R_y is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl and substituted alkynyl;

R_z is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

E is CH or N; and

(c) a moiety of formula XIII:



XIII

wherein

each R_{aa} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl and heterocyclic;

R_{ab} is alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, thioalkoxy, substituted thioalkoxy, wherein the alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, thioalkoxy or substituted thioalkoxy group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

D is a covalent bond, $NR_{ab'}$, O or S, where $R_{ab'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

E is CH or N;

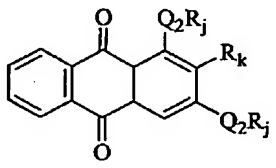
and the other L is selected from the group consisting of:

(d) a moiety of formula XI;

(e) a moiety of formula XII;

(f) a moiety of formula XIII:

(g) a moiety of formula VI:



VI

wherein

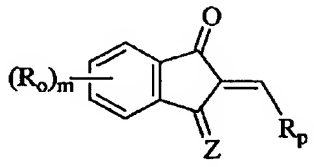
each R_j is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

R_k is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, alkoxy, hydroxy, halogen and -CHO;

each Q_2 is independently $NR_{j'}$, O and S, where $R_{j'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

provided one and only one of R_j comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(h) a moiety of formula VIII:



VIII

wherein

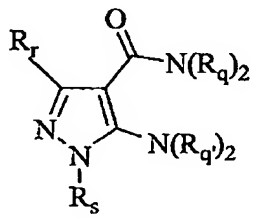
each R_o is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

R_p is aryl or heteroaryl, wherein the aryl or heteroaryl group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker or with -OZ' where Z' is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

Z is 2H or O;

m is an integer from 1 to 3;

(i) a moiety of formula IX:



IX

wherein

each R_q is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heterocyclic and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

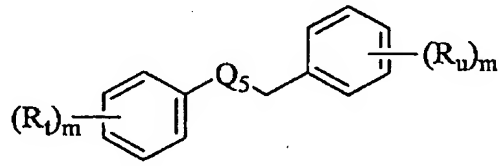
each $R_{q'}$ is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl and acyl;

R_s is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl and acyl;

R_r is aryl or heteroaryl, wherein the aryl or heteroaryl group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

provided one and only one of R_q or R_r comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(j) a moiety of formula X:



X

wherein

each R_t is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

each R_u is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl,

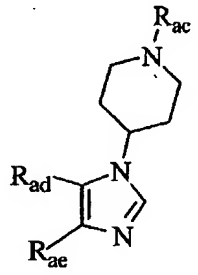
heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy, substituted thioalkoxy and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

Q_5 is $NR_{t'}$, O, S or alkylene, where $R_{t'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

each *m* is independently an integer from 1 to 3;

provided one and only one of R_u comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(k) a moiety of formula XIV:



XIV

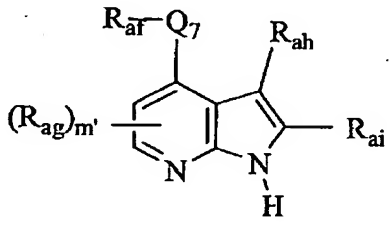
wherein

R_{ac} is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

R_{ad} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl and heterocyclic;

R_{ae} is aryl or heteroaryl;

(l) a moiety of formula XV:



XV

wherein

R_{af} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl and acyl;

each R_{ag} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

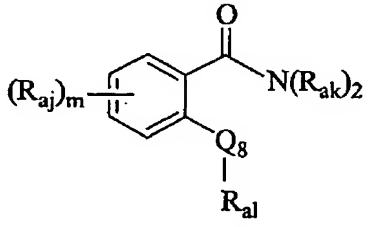
R_{ah} is aryl or heteroaryl;

R_{ai} is aryl or heteroaryl, wherein the aryl or heteroaryl group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

Q_7 is NR_{af}, O, S or alkylene, where R_{af} is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

m' is 1 or 2;

(m) a moiety of formula XVI:



XVI

wherein

each R_{aj} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

R_{al} is aryl or heteroaryl;

each R_{ak} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl,

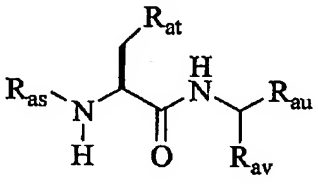
substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

Q_8 is $NR_{al'}$, O, S or alkylene, where $R_{al'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

m is an integer from 1 to 3;

provided one and only one of R_{ak} comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(n) a moiety of formula XIX:



XIX

wherein

R_{as} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

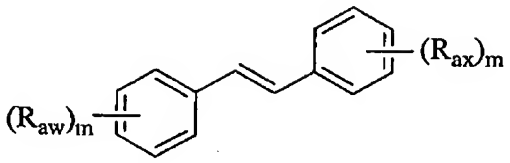
R_{at} is selected from the group consisting of 4-phosphonomethylphenyl, 4-phosphonodifluoromethylphenyl, 3-carboxy-4-carboxymethoxyphenyl and 3,4-dihydroxyphenyl;

R_{au} is aryl or heteroaryl, wherein the aryl or heteroaryl group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker or with -OZ', where Z' is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

R_{av} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl and alkaryl;

provided one and only one of R_{as} and R_{au} comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(o) a moiety of formula XX:



XX

wherein

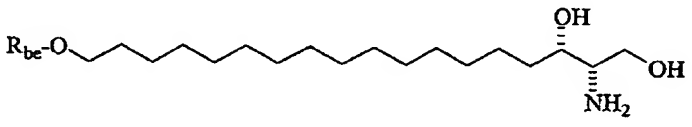
each R_{aw} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy and substituted thioalkoxy;

each R_{ax} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy, substituted thioalkoxy, a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker and -OZ', where Z' is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

each *m* is independently an integer from 1 to 3;

provided one and only one of R_{ax} comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(p) a moiety of formula XXIV:

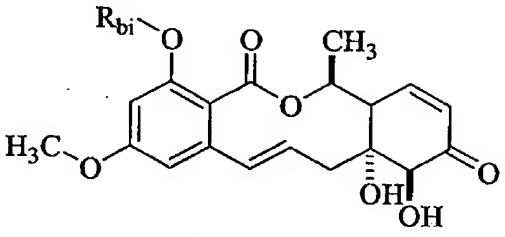


XXIV

wherein

R_{be} is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(q) a moiety of formula XXVI:

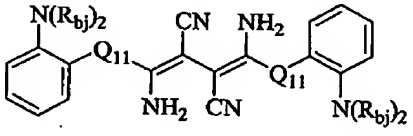


XXVI

wherein

R_{bi} is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(s) a moiety of formula XXVII:



XXVII

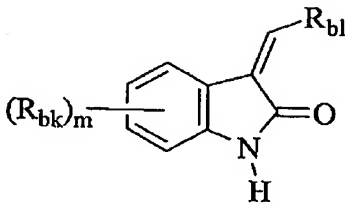
wherein

each R_{bj} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

Q_{11} is $NR_{bj'}$, O, S or alkylene, where $R_{bj'}$ is hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl or acyl;

provided one and only one of R_{bj} comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

(t) a moiety of formula XXVIII:



XXVIII

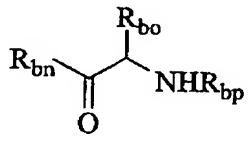
wherein

each R_{bk} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, acyl, acylamino, acyloxy, alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, amino, substituted amino, aminoacyl, aminoacyloxy, aryl, carboxyl, carboxyalkyl, cyano, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, halogen, heteroaryl, heterocyclic, hydroxy, oxyacylamino, nitro, thioalkoxy, substituted thioalkoxy, -SO-$R_{bk'}$ and -SO_2-$R_{bk'}$, where $R_{bk'}$ is alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclic;

R_{bl} is aryl or heteroaryl, wherein the aryl or heteroaryl group is substituted with a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker or with -$(CH_2)_u$-Z', where Z' is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker and *u* is an integer from 1 to 3;

m is an integer from 1 to 3; and

(u) a moiety of formula XXIX:



XXIX

wherein

R_{bn} is selected from the group consisting of alkoxy, substituted alkoxy, hydroxy and -OZ', where Z' is a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

R_{bo} is aryl or heteroaryl;

R_{bp} is acyl, alkoxycarbonyl and a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

provided one and only one of R_{bn} and R_{bp} comprises a covalent bond linking the moiety to the linker;

and each X is a linker independently selected from a group of the formula:

$$-X^a-Z-(Y^a-Z)_{m'}-Y^b-Z-X^a-$$

wherein

m' is an integer of from 0 to 20;

X^a at each separate occurrence is selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, -NR-, -C(O)-, -C(O)O-, -C(O)NR-, -C(S)-, -C(S)O-, -C(S)NR- or a covalent bond;

Z is at each separate occurrence is selected from the group consisting of alkylene, substituted alkylene, cycloalkylene, substituted cycloalkylene, alkenylene, substituted alkenylene, alkynylene, substituted alkynylene, cycloalkenylene, substituted cycloalkenylene, arylene, heteroarylene, heterocyclene, or a covalent bond;

Y^a and Y^b at each separate occurrence are selected from the group consisting of: -C(O)NR'-, -NR'C(O)-, -NR'C(O)NR'-, -C(=NR')-NR'-, -NR'-C(=NR')-, -NR'-C(O)-O-, -N=C(R)-NR'-, -P(O)(OR')-O-, $-S(O)_nCR'R"-$, $-S(O)_n-NR'-$, -S-S- and a covalent bond; where *n* is 0, 1 or 2; and

R, R' and R" at each separate occurrence are selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, substituted alkyl, cycloalkyl, substituted cycloalkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, cycloalkenyl, substituted cycloalkenyl, alkynyl, substituted alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl and heterocyclic.

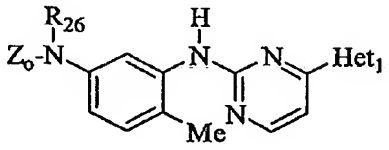
14. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 13, wherein one or both ligands are a moiety of formula XI.

15. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 13, wherein one or both ligands are a moiety of formula XII.

16. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 13, wherein one or both ligands are a moiety of formula XIII.

17. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 13, wherein one L is selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a moiety of formula O:



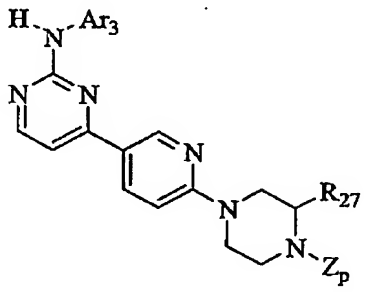
O

wherein

R_{26} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and acyl;

Het_1 is heterocyclic or heteroaryl;

(b) a moiety of formula P:



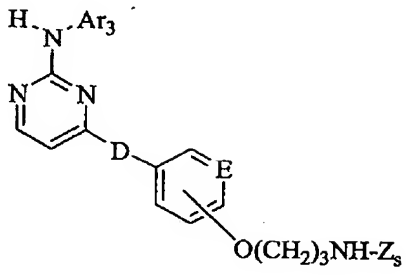
P

wherein

R_{27} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms and substituted alkyl;

Ar_3 is aryl; and

(c) a moiety of formula S:



S

wherein

D is selected from the group consisting of a covalent bond, -NH-, -S- and -O-;

E is selected from the group consisting of CH and N;

Ar_3 is aryl;

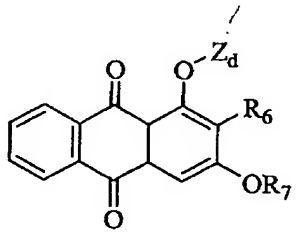
and the other L is selected from the group consisting of:

(d) a moiety of formula O;

(e) a moiety of formula P;

(f) a moiety of formula S;

(g) a moiety of formula D:



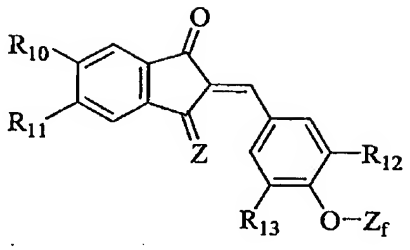
D

wherein

R_6 is selected from the group consisting of substituted alkyl and -CHO;

R_7 is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl and acyl;

(h) a moiety of formula F:



F

wherein

R_{10} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkoxy, amino and substituted amino;

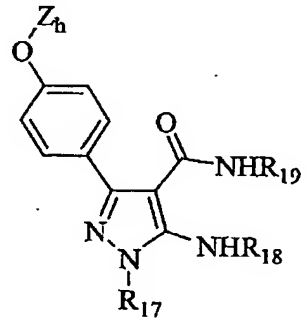
R_{11} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkoxy, halogens, amino, substituted amino and nitro;

R_{12} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, hydroxy, alkoxy and halogen;

R_{13} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, hydroxy, alkoxy and halogen;

Z is selected from the group consisting of 2H and O;

(i) a moiety of formula H:



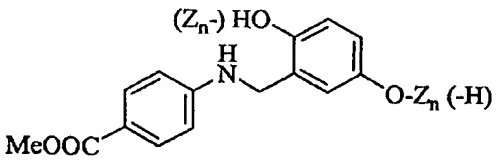
H

wherein

R_{17} and R_{18} are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

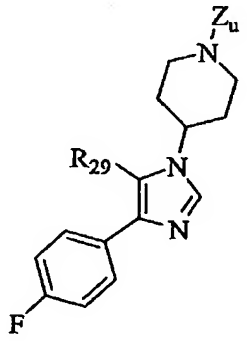
R_{19} is selected from the group consisting of alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, $CH_2C(O)OEt$, $-(CH_2)_3OH$, alkaryl, aryl and heteroaryl;

(j) a moiety of formula N:



N

(k) a moiety of formula U:



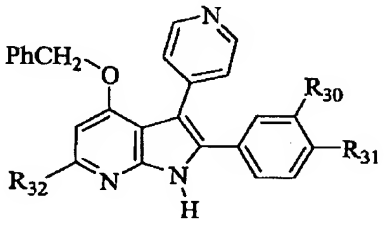
U

wherein

R_{29} is selected from the group consisting of 4-pyrimidinyl, 2-methylaminopyrimidin-4-yl, 2-phenoxypyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-fluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-aminocarbonylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-ethylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-benzyloxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-cyanophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-phenylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-phenoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3,4-methylenedioxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-fluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-fluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-trifluoromethylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3,4-difluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl,

2-(4-methylsulfonylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 4-pyridinyl, 2-phenoxypyridin-4-yl, 2-(4-methoxyphenoxy)pyridin-4-yl, 2-(4-fluorophenoxy)pyridin-4-yl, 2-(4-benzyloxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-cyanophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-phenylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-phenoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-hydroxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3,4-methylenedioxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-fluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-fluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(2-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3-trifluoromethylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(3,4-difluorophenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-(4-methylsulfonylphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl, and 2-(4-methoxyphenoxy)pyrimidin-4-yl;

(l) a moiety of formula V:



V

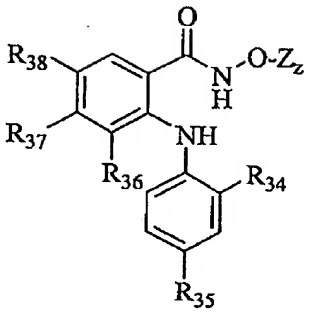
wherein

R_{30} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, halogen and alkoxy;

R_{31} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, halogen, alkoxy and Z_v;

R_{32} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, amino, substituted amino, alkoxy, $-NHCOCH_3$, and Z_v, provided one and only one of R_{31} and R_{32} is Z_v;

(m) a moiety of formula Z:



Z

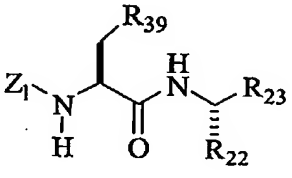
wherein

R_{34} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, hydroxy, alkyl, alkoxy, halogen and substituted alkyl;

R_{35} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and halogen;

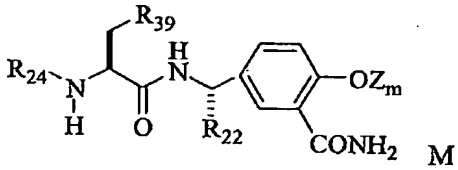
R_{36}, R_{37}, and R_{38} are selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, $-NO_2$, alkyl, substituted alkyl, amino, substituted amino, alkoxy, hydroxy and halogen;

(n) a moiety of formula L:



L

(o) a moiety of formula M:

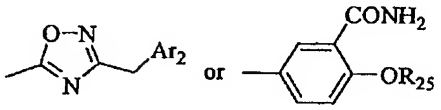


M

wherein, in formula L and M,

R_{22} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms and substituted alkyl;

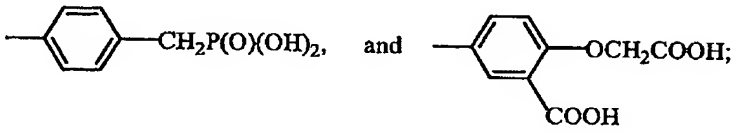
R_{23} is



R_{24} is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and acyl;

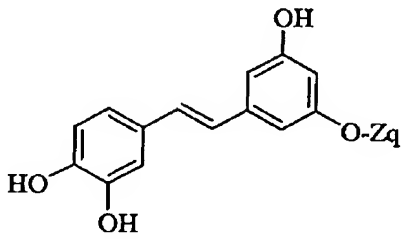
R_{25} is selected from the group consisting of alkyl and cycloalkyl;

R_{39} is selected from the group consisting of



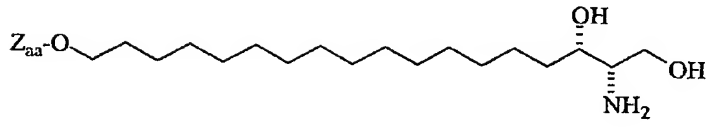
Ar_2 is selected from the group consisting of alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, substituted alkyl and aryl;

(p) a moiety of formula Q:



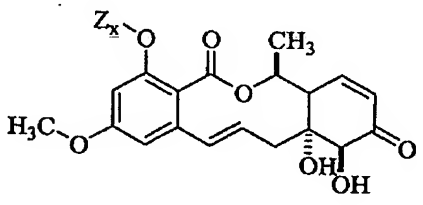
Q

(q) a moiety of formula AA:



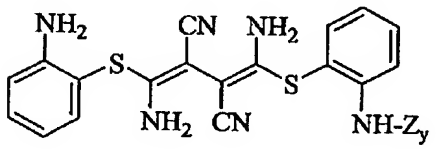
AA

(r) a moiety of formula X:



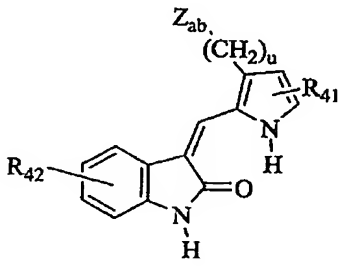
X

(s) a moiety of formula Y:



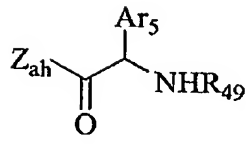
Y

(t) a moiety of formula AB:



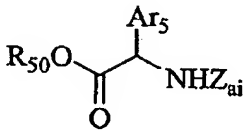
AB

(u) a moiety of formula AH:



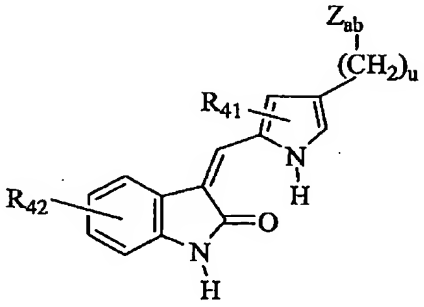
AH;

(v) a moiety of formula AI:



AI; and

(w) a moiety of formula AB':



AB'

wherein

R_{41} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, 4-CH_3, 5-CH_3 and 4,5-di-CH_3;

R_{42} is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, CH_3, -F, -Cl and -NO_2;

R_{49} is independently selected from the group consisting of acetyl, t-BOC, -Cbz, and -C(O)Ph;

R_{50} is independently selected from the group consisting of $C_{1\text{-}5}$ alkyl;

Ar_5 is independently selected from the group consisting of C_6H_5, p-C_6H_4OH, and other substituted phenyl groups;

u is an integer from 1 to 3,

and further wherein Z_d, Z_f, Z_h, Z_l, Z_m, Z_n, Z_o, Z_p, Z_q, Z_s, Z_u, Z_v, Z_x, Z_y, Z_z, Z_{aa}, Z_{ab}, Z_{ah}, and Z_{ai} are covalent bonds linking the moiety to the linker;

and stereoisomers thereof.

18. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formulae D, F, H, N, O, P, S, U, V, or Z.

19. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formulae L or M.

20. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formula Q.

21. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formula AA.

22. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formulae X or Y.

23. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one L is a moiety of formulae O, P, or S, and the other L is a moiety of formulae AB, AH, or AI.

24. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one or both L is a moiety of formulae O.

25. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one or both L is a moiety of formulae P.

26. (Previously presented) The compound of Claim 17, wherein one or both L is a moiety of formulae S.

27. (Previously presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 13.

28. (Previously presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 17.

29. (canceled)

30. (Previously presented) A method of treating a disease or medical disorder mediated by a protein kinase wherein the disease or medical disorder is selected from the group consisting of recurrent ocular herpetic keratitis, diabetic retinopathy, VEGF-induced angiogenesis, macular degeneration, ischemia, atherosclerosis, and psoriasis, the method comprising administering to a mammal in need of such treatment a pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 13.